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THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS Customer Service Window Randolph Building, Mail Stop AMENDMENT 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314

[ ] The fee has been calculated as shown below:

Sir:	
Transr	nitted herewith is a [XX] Amendment [ ]
in the	above-identified application.
[ ]	Small Entity Status: Applicant(s) claim small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.
[XX]	No additional fee is required.

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SMALL ENTITY

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 50
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 TOTAL
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[XX] Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below:

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	[ ] Fourth - \$ 795.00	[ ]	Fourth	- \$ 159	0.00			
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[ ]	Credit Card Payment Form, PTO-2038, is attached, authorizing payment in the amount of \$							
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X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4035. This authorization and request is not limited to payment of all fees associated with this communication, including any Extension of Time fee, not covered by check or specific authorization, but is also intended to include all fees for the presentation of extra claims under 37 CFR §1.16 and all patent processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17 throughout the prosecution of the case. This blanket authorization does not include patent issue fees under 37 CFR §1.18.

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